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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Public Works Department.

Abstract.

Letter Ms.No.797, Dated 26th February 1951.

From

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

To

The Secretary,
Madras Public Service Commission.

Sir,

Sub: Qualification - B.E. Degree - Practical training for one year - Abolition - Amendment to Special Rules -

Ref: Correspondence ending with Commission letter No.765 C1/51-1, dated 6.2.51.

I am directed to state that though the necessity for providing practical training for Engineering Students has been admitted, it is felt that the question of amending the Special Rules may be over until adequate arrangements are made to provide practical training to Students, as it will not be fair to them, if the Government insist on a certain period of practical training as a pre-requisite for appoint as Supervisor or Assistang Engine r without providing facilities for acquiring such practical training.

2. At present the Government are considering two methods by which such practical training may be given to Engineering Students:-

(1) By introducing legislation making it obligatory on the part of Industries to entertain apprentice in the workshops.

(2) By providing facilities for training in works in the Public Works Department.

The Apprenticeship Bill which is designed to achieve the object in item (1) above has not yet been finalised. The second proposal is also under the active consideration of the Government.

3. In view of the position set out in para 1 and 2 above, the question of amending the Special Rules as suggested by the Commission is being deferred till a decision on the two proposals refer ed to in para 2 above is r ached.

Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) x x x

Copy to:

The Chief Engine r (General).

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